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End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for the Cisco Nexus N7K-C7018 Switches

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Overview

Cisco announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life dates for the Cisco Nexus N7K-C7018 Switches. The last day to order the affected product(s) is February 28, 2022. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) as shown in Table 1 of the EoL bulletin. Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the affected product(s). Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement. For customers with active and paid service and support contracts, support will be available under the terms and conditions of customers' service contract.

End-of-life milestones

Table 1.   End-of-life milestones and dates for the Cisco Nexus N7K-C7018 Switches

Milestone	Definition	Date
End-of-Life Announcement Date	The date the document that announces the end of sale and end of life of a product is distributed to the general public.	February 28, 2021
End-of-Sale Date: **HW**	The last date to order the product through Cisco point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	February 28, 2022
Last Ship Date: **HW**	The last-possible ship date that can be requested of Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers. Actual ship date is dependent on lead time.	May 30, 2022
End of SW Maintenance Releases Date: **HW**	The last date that Cisco Engineering may release any final software maintenance releases or bug fixes. After this date, Cisco Engineering will no longer develop, repair, maintain, or test the product software.	February 28, 2023
End of Vulnerability/Security Support: **HW**	The last date that Cisco Engineering may release a planned maintenance release or scheduled software remedy for a security vulnerability issue.	February 28, 2027
End of Routine Failure Analysis Date: **HW**	The last-possible date a routine failure analysis may be performed to determine the cause of hardware product failure or defect.	February 28, 2023
End of New Service Attachment Date: **HW**	For equipment and software that is not covered by a service-and-support contract, this is the last date to order a new service-and-support contract or add the equipment and/or software to an existing service-and-support contract.	February 28, 2023
End of Service Contract Renewal Date: **HW**	The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product.	May 29, 2026

Milestone	Definition	Date
Last Date of Support: HW	The last date to receive applicable service and support for the product as entitled by active service contracts or by warranty terms and conditions. After this date, all support services for the product are unavailable, and the product becomes obsolete.	February 28, 2027

HW = Hardware   OS SW = Operating System Software   App. SW = Application Software

Product part numbers

Table 2.   Product part numbers affected by this announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description	Additional Information
C1-N7K-C7018	Cisco ONE Nexus 7018 Chassis, No Power Supplies, Fans Incl	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018	18 Slot Chassis, No Power Supplies, Fans Included	N9K-C9516	Nexus 9516 Chassis with 16 linecard slots	–
N7K-C7018-ACC-KIT=	Nexus 7018 Accessory Kit, Spare	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-BSK	Nexus 7018 Bottom Support Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-BSK=	Nexus 7018 Bottom Support Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-CAB-TOP	Nexus 7018 Front Top Section and Cable Mgmt- Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-CAB-TOP=	Nexus 7018 Front Top Section and Cable Mgmt- Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description	Additional Information
N7K-C7018-F-BLANK	Nexus 7018 Fabric Module Blank	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-F-BLANK=	Nexus 7018 Fabric Module Blank	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-FAN	Nexus 7000 - 18 Slot Fan	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-FAN=	Nexus 7000 - 18 Slot Fan	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-FD-MB	Nexus 7018 Front Door Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-FD-MB=	Nexus 7018 Front Door Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-LEDS=	Nexus 7018 Chassis LEDs Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-RMK=	Nexus 7018 Rack Mount Kit	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–
N7K-C7018-SBUN-P1	Inc. LAN,ADV,TRS,EL2,DCNM,DCNMSAN,MPLS,SAN,XL - Promotion	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	–	–

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N7K-C7018-SBUN-P1=	Inc. LAN,ADV,TRS,EL2,DCNM,DCNMSAN,MPLS,SAN,XL - Promotion	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	-	-
N7K-C7018-SHPPKG=	Nexus 7018 Shipping Packaging	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	-	-
N7K-C7018=	18 Slot Chassis, No Power Supplies, No Fans	N9K-C9516=	Nexus 9516 Chassis with 16 linecard slots	-
N7K-FS-7018-8F1P	Nexus 7018 Fabric Switch incl. 8x N7K-F132XP-15 - req power	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	-	-
N7K-PS-BLANK-H	Nexus 7018 Chassis Power Supply Blank with Handle	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	-	-
N7K-PS-BLANK-H=	Nexus 7018 Chassis Power Supply Blank with Handle	See the Product Migration Options section below for detailed information on replacing this product.	-	-

Product migration options

Please refer to corresponding Part Number in Nexus 9500 Series of switches at https://www.cisco.com/c/en/us/products/collateral/switches/nexus-9000-series-switches/datasheet-c78-729404.html.

Customers may be able to use the Cisco Technology Migration Program (TMP) where applicable to trade-in eligible products and receive credit toward the purchase of new Cisco equipment. For more information about Cisco TMP, customers should work with their Cisco Partner or Cisco account team. Cisco Partners can find additional TMP information on Partner Central at:
https://www.cisco.com/web/partners/incentives_and_promotions/tmp.html.

Customers may be able to continue to purchase the Cisco Nexus N7K-C7018 Switches through the Cisco Certified Refurbished Equipment program. Refurbished units may be available in limited supply for sale in certain countries on a first-come, first-served basis until the Last Date of Support has been reached. For information about the Cisco Certified Refurbished Equipment program, go to: https://www.cisco.com/go/eos.

Service prices for Cisco products are subject to change after the product End-of-Sale date.

The Cisco Takeback and Recycle program helps businesses properly dispose of surplus products that have reached their end of useful life. The program is open to all business users of Cisco equipment and its associated brands and subsidiaries. For more information, go to: https://www.cisco.com/web/about/ac227/ac228/ac231/about_cisco_takeback_recycling.html.

For more information

For more information about the Cisco End-of-Life Policy, go to: https://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/products_end-of-life_policy.html.

For more information about the Cisco Product Warranties, go to: https://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod_warranties_listing.html.

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